WHEREAS, The Pork Industry has been established as one of the most important segments of the economy of South Dakota; and,

MHEREAS, Fork has long been recognized as one of the most nutritious foods, rich in protein and all health building factors, proven to be beneficial to people of all ages, from the very young to the very old; and,

WHEREAS, It is important that the people of South Dakota recognize the importance of pork in the everyday life of our citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIF, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October, 1974, as

OCTOBER PORKFEST MONTH

in South Dakota, and respectfully urge all businesses, organizations, producers, and consumers to cooperate in the observance of October Porkfest Month in South Dakota, and urge all house-wives to serve nutritious pork this month, that pork may have its rightful place among meats served, and the importance of the pork industry to our State's economy be recognized.

IN WITNESS AHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 25th day of September, in the Year of Cur Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Four

RICHAPD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

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LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE